

*Carolina Freight*

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Region 2  
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New York, NY 10007-1866

Re: Berry's Creek Study Area, Bergen County, NJ

Dear Mr. Monroe,

I am writing on behalf of ABF Freight System, Inc. ("ABF"). ABF is a wholly owned subsidiary of Arkansas Best Corporation.

The EPA's Request For Information addressed to Carolina Freight Carriers Corp. has been forwarded to me for response. Carolina Freight Carriers Corp was merged into ABF in 1995.

This will confirm that we agreed ABF may have until December 20, 2002 to respond to the Request For Information.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

  
Richard L. Spearman

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